115TH FIGHTER WING - WISCONSIN AIR NATIONAL GUARD

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Air National Guard to recognize unit performance

The 115th Fighter Wing will take a brief pause in its busy schedule Saturday [Dec. 6] to recognize the men and women of our organization who have served on active duty at home and abroad following September 11, 2001. This is the first formal function organized to recognize these dedicated service members. The ceremony will begin at 2:00 p.m. and should last approximately one hour. Included will be comments from Wisconsin National Guard leaders and representatives from a range of elected offices.

The unit is located at Truax Field, Madison, Wisconsin. The 115th Fighter Wing is a multirole fighter unit that provides full spectrum combat capabilities. The 115th Fighter Wing is home to over 1,000 members and flies the F-16C, Fighting Falcon.

Over half of the 115th Fighter Wing's members have served on active duty in the period following the attacks of September 11, 2001, supporting Operations Enduring Freedom, Iraqui Freedom, and Noble Eagle.

A select group of members, representing each of the major contingency operations the unit has supported, will receive military decorations for their service.

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